

**THE COLUMBUS BAR ASSOCIATION
2006 JUDICIAL PREFERENCE POLL**

The Columbus Bar's Preference Poll results are in.

Polling ballots were sent to more than 7,000 attorneys in Franklin County. Respondents were asked to indicate which candidate they preferred. Of the twelve judicial races being decided on Nov. 7 in Franklin County, nine are contested.

A letter accompanying the ballot requested that attorneys without "sufficient current knowledge or information about the candidates" abstain from voting in the poll. Hausser + Taylor, Certified Public Accountants, tabulated the 1,461 returned surveys.

PREFERENCE

**CANDIDATES FOR 10th DISTRICT
COURT OF APPEALS**

	<u>Number of Responses</u>	<u>Percentage of Responses</u>
Alan C. Travis	831	64.5%
G. Gary Tyack	458	35.5%
	<u>1289</u>	<u>100.0%</u>

**CANDIDATES FOR COURT
OF COMMON PLEAS**

Charles Bendig	203	16.5%
David E. Cain	1025	83.5%
	<u>1228</u>	<u>100.0%</u>

John P. Bessey	1029	84.1%
Tomi Lynn Dorris	195	15.9%
	<u>1224</u>	<u>100.0%</u>

Stephen L. McIntosh	689	64.8%
Angela G. Phelps-White	374	35.2%
	<u>1063</u>	<u>100.0%</u>

Timothy S. Horton	193	18.1%
Gregory S. Peterson	872	81.9%
	<u>1065</u>	<u>100.0%</u>

Frank J. Macke	450	40.7%
Patrick E. Sheeran	655	59.3%
	<u>1105</u>	<u>100.0%</u>

**CANDIDATES FOR DOMESTIC
RELATIONS COURT**

Colleen H. Briscoe	408	44.1%
Elizabeth M. Gill	517	55.9%
	<u>925</u>	<u>100.0%</u>

Jim Mason	987	90.6%
Jay G. Perez	103	9.4%
	<u>1090</u>	<u>100.0%</u>

Christopher J. Geer	1041	93.7%
Carole R. Squire	70	6.3%
	<u>1111</u>	<u>100.0%</u>

1,461 ballots received and counted

15 ballots received but not counted due to being postmarked after August 30th